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Helping Families With A Seriously Sick Child By

Opening Hearts, Giving A Hand

By Dionne F. Richmond

In uneven handwriting, a 7-year-old boy writes a heart wrenching letter about his 16 year old sister Kristy, who was diagnosed with a brain tumor. It's called "Mikey's Story." Although some of the words are misspelled, the message from the Mattapoisett youth comes across crystal clear.

"I remember the first day my sister was sick. My whole family went to the doctors for a check up for Kristy and we waited to hear from the doctor and he came out and said I have bad news Mr. and Mrs. Canty. Kristy has a brain tumor. And then we got sad. We all felt so bad for Kristy. I would do anything for Kristy. I love her so much I would not want anything to happen to her. I would even have the brain tumor in my head so she wouldn't have it. And I pray that people will help, Thank You Michael Canty." The news was good though. As of January the tumor was found to be benign.

A non-profit organization, "Hearts And Hands," in Mattapoisett was started to help families who find themselves in difficult situations like the Canty's. They pick up what insurance overlooks -- transportation to Boston and Providence hospitals, caring for siblings who are often feeling left out, and support groups for family members.

Patricia Gardiner, a nurse practitioner from Mattapoisett who is the founder and executive director of "Hearts and Hands," thought of the idea a few years ago while involved in a cancer support group run from Tobey Hospital in Wareham. When some parents joined, they discovered the group didn't meet all of their needs. After looking around for something more for the parents of a little boy with leukemia, Ms. Gardiner couldn't find anything but a support group run out of a Boston Hospital.

"That planted the seed. It seemed that more and more of those cases came into my path. I began interviewing parents of medically fragile children and I started to see the needs for families," she said. Many parents are often left with no choice but to quit their jobs, leaving them juggling their emotional stress, financial burdens, long rides to the hospital, and finding care for their other children. Ms. Gardiner said the average expense for a family to travel to a Boston Hospital is about $75-$100 a day for gas, parking, food, and lost wages. The organization provides free services the family's need during the illness.

One of the families the organization has helped is a family from Fairhaven. Kayce Mercer, 4, was diagnosed with mitochondrial disorder, a genetic disease that causes her to have seizures up to 60 times a day. Sometimes those seizures cause her to stop breathing. University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth football players John Santos of Marion and Matt DeGrandpre of Mattapoisett have volunteered their time to help seriously ill children-including Kayce. Matt DeGrandpre took Kayce for the day, knowing she would go into a seizire at any given moment. Volunteers also take out brothers or sisters who may feel left out of all the attention.

"People are coming back to the basics of helping each other. Interns, college kids are helping out. It's been amazing to watch young kids with the students. I can tell they've been touched," she said. Community nurses have even volunteered one morning a week to spend with the patients.

The college students took Kayce out on their own time and with their own money, while they are paying for themselves to go through school. The organization depends on donations to keep it up and

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On The Cover: University of Massachusetts football player Matt DeGrandpre of Mattapoisett volunteers at Hearts and Hands in Mattapoisett, helping seriously ill children such as Kayce Mercer of Fairhaven. The organization is a non-profit group and relies on donations to provide free services to families such as transportation, caring for siblings and support groups for parents.

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There are 12 new parents who are seeking help from the organization. They are looking for a place to come and have coffee and talk with other parents going through the same thing. "They don't get to leave their houses. After a while friends and family go away. They don't know what to say," Ms. Gardiner explained. "Hearts and Hands" is still undergoing organizing its services but has had a strong head start. Ms. Gardiner said there are many families out there who need their services. For further information about Hearts and Hands call 1-800-241-3601.

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Rochester Election Results

Cutler Wins Rochester Race

By Dionne F. Richmond

First time Selectman candidate Richard Cutler ousted incumbent Michael Murphy by 305 votes, with one of the largest voter turn outs in Rochester's history. During a telephone interview on Tuesday, Mr. Cutler said he was pleased with the percentage of votes he received from the residents. "It tells me there's a lot of support," he said.

"Unfortunately the newspapers have been focusing on (the reappointment of) Chief (Walter)

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Denham. Although it's a major issue, it was created by my predecessor. That's not the reason I started to run, I'm hoping we can get off the Chief issue and get on to the others," he said.

Many people approached Mr. Cutler and said they voted for his platform, not the issue of reappointing Chief Denham, he said. His short term goals include getting up to date with what has been going on in the Selectmen's office such as police contract negotiations. Deciding who will replace former Executive Administrative Secretary Shirley Ferreira and in what capacity is also a priority for him.

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Selectman Cutler said he would like to give his thanks for the vote of confidence.

"The support was tremendous, it has been truly humbling and appreciated." Mr. Cutler said he was surprised at the number of people who volunteered their help during the campaign.

Mr. Murphy was unavailable for comment during press time. While Chairman of the Board he voted not to reappoint Chief Denham, with the support of Selectman Hughes. Selectman Hawkes opposed the motion. Mr. Murphy had said at the time, he would leave it up to the voters to decide since his re-election was fast approaching.

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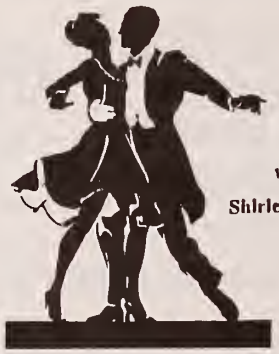

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•PLANNING BOARD-- **Nora Duponte**, 192 Hartley Road, (1,007).

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•LIBRARY TRUSTEE--**Eunice Jenkins**, 355 New Bedford Road, (1,088); **Althea Fearing**, 259 Rounseville Road, (1,018).

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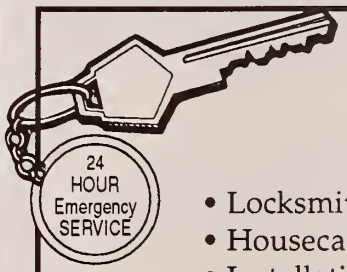

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Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

April 16, 1996

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, April 16 at 7:00 pm. Present were Selectman John N. DeCosta, Selectman Paul E. Lambalot, Selectman Michele C. Bernier, and Executive Secretary Carol Adams.

The first order of business was the reorganization of the board. Selectman Bernier nominated Selectman DeCosta as chairman, which was seconded and made unanimous by Selectman Lambalot. Selectman Bernier then nominated Selectman Lambalot as clerk of the board, which was seconded and made unanimous by Chairman DeCosta.

That accomplished, Chairman DeCosta noted the board would vote to sign a release and waiver of the town's first refusal option to purchase the property known as the Nunes Farm. Selectman Lambalot said he was prepared to make a motion to sign and approve the release, but Selectman Bernier said she wanted to move that the town simply let the option expire.

"I talked to Town Counsel and he advised me that we can just allow the option to expire ...

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which it will do two days from now," Selectman Bernier said. "According to (Massachusetts General Laws,) Chapter 61B, we aren't required to waive our rights of first refusal."

But Selectman Lambalot felt the town had sent a message via Town Meeting. "I disagree," he said. "I feel the vote was clear at Town Meeting and I think we need to take a vote to make this official."

With that, the board voted to sign and approve the waiver, 2 to 1, with Selectman Bernier going on record in sole opposition.

The board then unanimously voted to sign

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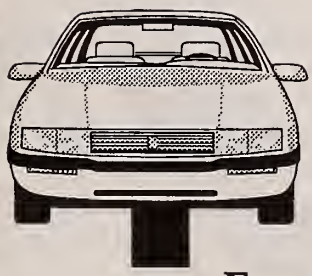

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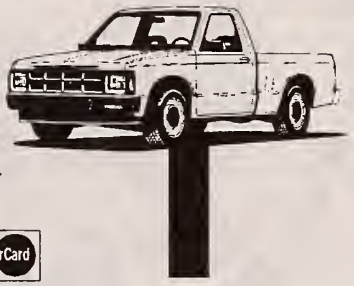

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Under meetings scheduled for the week, Chairman DeCosta noted that Coastline Elderly Services will hold a breakfast on Friday, April 19 at 9:00 am (both Chairman DeCosta and Ms. Adams will be attending), and the board will have the bid opening for Highway Road Repairs on Friday, April 22 at 3:00 pm in the Selectmen's Office (Ms. Adams, as Chief Procurement Officer, will also attend). This will award a previously allocated sum of $300,000 to repair various town roads.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, Ms. Adams noted the Southeast Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD) is conducting a survey to identify housing needs, existing housing problems, and issues of concern to local residents. They submitted a questionnaire, which they asked the board members to fill out and return by April 23.

The board received notification that the next Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 17 at 12:00 noon in the Fairhaven Town Hall. Chairman DeCosta said their representative, William T. Nicholson, will be attending, along with Fire Chief Ronald Scott.

SRPEDD also sent information to the board regarding the proposed "Commuter Rail to Taunton, Fall River and New Bedford" project. According to SRPEDD Chairman Gus Yankopoulos, "It is SRPEDD's primary goal to bring commuter rail (service) to the three cities, and I will work to achieve that goal. While we have supported the so-called 'Middleboro' alternative, we have done so in the belief that this route is a more feasible alternative."

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the proposed commuter rail line, which runs from Boston through Stoughton, North Easton, Raynham, and into Taunton Center, at which point it splits toward East Taunton and Attleboro. The East Taunton branch travels to Middleboro, where it splits toward both Fall River (via Freetown) and New Bedford.

Thomas R. Quigley of Quigley Environmental next submitted a RAM Status Report for the remedial contract at the Police Station. Ms. Adams noted that Corporate Environmental Advisors (CEA) has begun work at the Police Station, and they will be submitting periodic reports as the project progresses.

Lastly, resident Stephen Kelleher submitted a request to form a Bike Path Study Committee along with an initial $500 expense account. "Since last Tuesday's meeting, I have received calls from (residents) wanting to form a (Bike Path) Committee to study the possibility of linking Mattapoisett's bike path to Marion and Fairhaven," Mr. Kelleher wrote.

Chairman DeCosta said he would like to take this matter under advisement and will entertain a vote of the board at a later date.

Under the Executive Secretary's Report, Ms. Adams said she wanted to schedule a meeting with

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members of the Finance Committee (FinCom) and the Board of Selectmen for some time next week to review articles for the upcoming Town Meeting warrant and line items for the fiscal 1997 budget. The board members agreed to meet either Wednesday (April 24) or Thursday (April 25) night.

Ms. Adams also said the board needed to reappoint a representative to the Sick Leave Bank Committee for the police union, to which they unanimously appointed Selectman Lambalot. Ms. Adams also requested that anyone who is interested in serving on the Bike Path Study Committee or Master Plan Committee send a letter of interest to

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Dennis Luttrell of the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) met with the board at 7:30 pm to discuss the organization's annual report. He presented a written report detailing the BBAC's efforts during the last year, a list of grant monies distributed to participating communities, and a history of their past projects.

"Basically, I just like to meet with the member towns and find out if there's any thing we can do for you in terms of future projects or grants," Mr. Luttrell said. "If there is, just let me know."

The board thanked Mr. Luttrell for all his work and for the ongoing support of the BBAC.

Under Selectmen's discussion items, Selectman Bernier said she would like the board to look into the possibility of hiring either a single Town Planner for Mattapoisett, or a regional Town Planner to be shared with Marion and Rochester. "I know there was a suggestion at a meeting last week to hire a part-time Town Planner," Selectman Bernier said. "I made some calls to both Marion and Rochester, and I think it might be worth our considering a Regional Town Planner."

Chairman DeCosta noted he would like to set up a meeting with the other towns, or maybe put this on the agenda of the next Tri-Town Selectmen's meeting.

Selectman Bernier also said she did some initial studying on government protocol and ended up contacting the State Ethics Commission for an

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informational packet. While getting information from the commission, she was advised that they offer free seminars to area towns on conflict of interest laws, government duties, and the like.

"I think it might be worth scheduling one of these seminars for town employees," Selectman Bernier said. "They only take a couple of hours ... and they seem to be well-received."

Chairman DeCosta asked Ms. Adams to send a memo to town employees and see how many might be interested in attending such a seminar.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:46 pm.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting

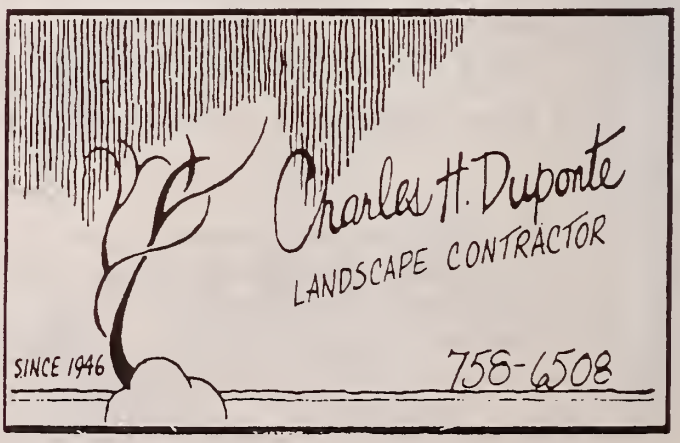
April 16, 1996

By Amelia Thrall

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, April 16 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Albert E. Winters. Also present were Selectman Loretta B. Schaefer, Selectman Jonathan "Jody" Dickerson, Executive Secretary Ray Pickles, and Secretary Helene Craver.

The meeting began with the approval of treasury warrant, licenses, water commitments, meeting minutes, and a credit memorandum for the week.

The board also approved the appointment of seven people training to be Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT's) with the town. The addition of Mary Bartholomew, Jeffrey A. Habicht, Kathryn J.



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Correspondence for the week included a letter from Glenn Haas of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). He wrote to notify the board that the contract for the Ultraviolet (UV) disinfection system at the wastewater treatment facility has "been prepared in accordance with modern environmental engineering practice." The town now has permission to "advertise for and open bids."

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Continental Cablevision sent an "economic impact summary" to the board. According to their information, the company "employed 1,135 people in Massachusetts at the end of 1994."

The Massachusetts Cable Television Commission wrote that the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) "will no longer accept (Cable Programming Service) rate complaints filed directly by subscribers. Now the subscribers must "first file complaints with franchising authorities within 90 days of a CPS rate increase."

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Joseph Murphy, Jr. wrote the board about the reorganization of the Wareham Board of Selectmen. Mary Jane Pillsbury is now chairman of the board.

The DPW spent the week spring cleaning and working on the Housing for the Elderly.

The board set rates for use of the Music Hall by for-profit groups as double the rates paid by non-profit groups.

A pole hearing for New England Telephone was continued from last week's meeting and the placement of the new pole was unanimously

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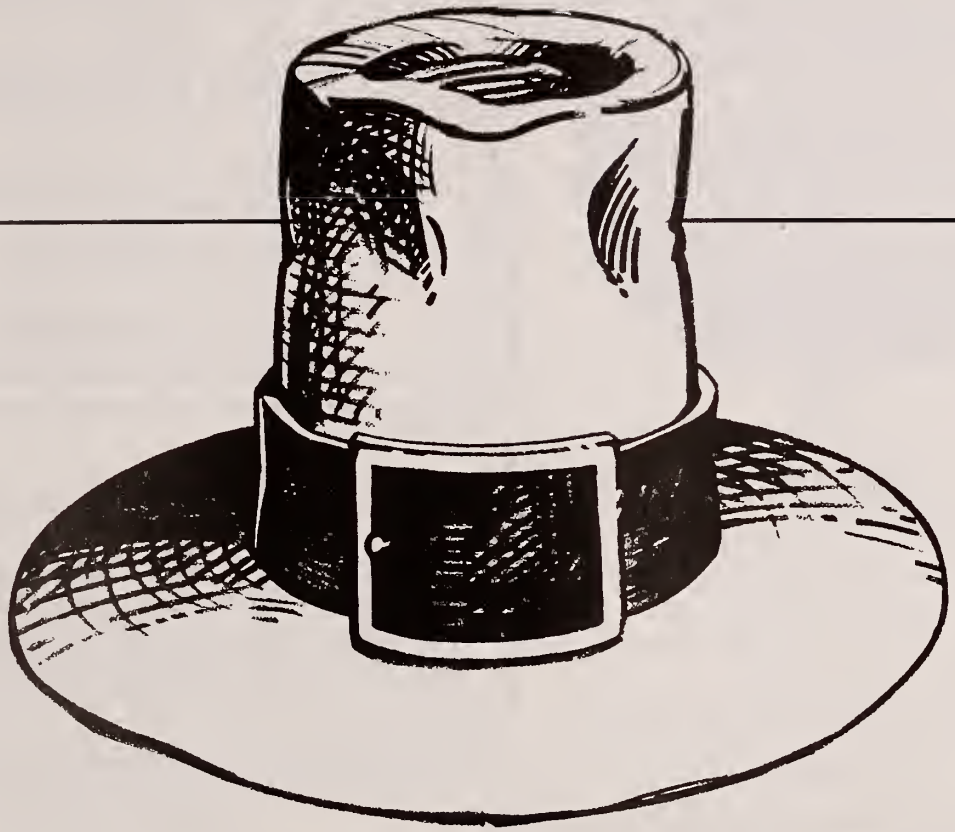

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The Annual Town Meeting will take place next Monday, April 22 beginning at 7:00 pm. With no other matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 pm.

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The League of Women Voters, in cooperation with The Wanderer and the candidates, has prepared this voters information for the **April 26 Marion election**. Candidates for Selectman, Assessor, Planning Board and School Committee were asked to provide information including age (optional), education and experience and qualifications. The candidates were also asked a question pertaining to the office they were seeking. Candidates responses were limited to twenty–five words for background information and fifty words for their response to the question.

Selectman – 3 years (Elect One)

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Albert E. Winters – Age: 57. **Education:** Sippican School, Tabor, BS Mech. Engrg. Carnegie, MBA Univ. of Rochester. **Occupation:** Retired V.P. Unisys. **Experience & Qualifications:** Managed $50M division (1200+ employees), three years Selectman, Board Habitat Chapter. **Response:** Their role is to first establish the vision of what the residents want the town to be by involving them in the process and listening to what they say. Then they must bring together all the elected and appointed boards and provide the leadership to implement the recommendations.

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Edwin "Ted" Pratt, Jr. - Age: No Response. **Education:** Harvard, BA (Government), MPA (Public Administration). **Occupation:** Self employed. **Experience & Qualifications:** Elected/appointed: Selectman; Health Board; Mass. Association Health Boards. Tobey Trustee; President National Association Local Boards Health. **Response:** Selectmen should base policy formulation, implementation, and evaluation on openness, cooperation and teamwork through personal example and by making these values the basis of Marion's government. Communication to and from townspeople must be improved. Growth challenges our sense of community, it's expensive; working as a team is our best response.

Assessor – 3 years (Elect One)

The candidates for Assessor were asked: *"How should the town handle the assessment of unbuildable lots?*

Arthur C. Thompson – Age: 67. **Education:** Bristol County Agricultural, International Correspondence and continuing education. **Occupation:** Professional Engineers & Land Surveyor. **Experience & Qualifications:** Assessors 29 years. Consultant to real estate brokers and appraisers and profession. **Response:** According to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 38, properties are assessed on fair cash valuation. My opinion is that a lot considered unbuildable due to zoning, wetlands, Title V, restrictive covenants does not render it valueless, however, the valuation would be drastically reduced thus reducing the assessment.

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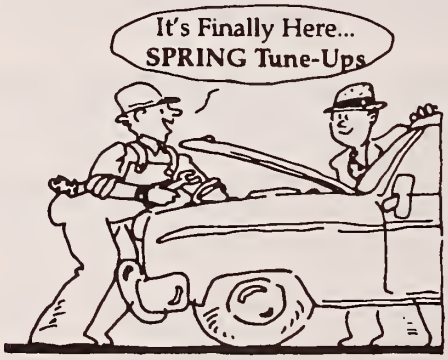

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Wayne Asker – Age: 62. **Education:** Graduate Storm King Prep; Appraisal Courses Stonehill College. **Occupation:** MA Certified Commercial and Residential Appraiser. **Experience & Qualifications:** 15 years appraising; researching in most assessors' offices in 3 counties. **Response:** Unbuildable lots should be appraised at fair market value, as buildable, then discounted. Each lot should be assessed individually: some have potential to be buildable; others have value other than economic, such as open space. Most unbuildable lots would probably be assessed at 10% of fair market value.

Planning Board – 3 years (Elect Three)

The candidates for Planning Board were asked: *"How can the recommendation of a town master plan be realized?"*

George T.J. Walker – No response.

Julia Deane Crowley (Jay) – Age: Empty nester. **Education:** Harvard Government. **Occupation:** Planning Board – Community Volunteer. **Experience & Qualifications:** Board Member VASE, Tritown League (started Phone Directory), Horse Show Committee, Tree Committee, etc. equals Community knowledge, Organizational Ability. **Response:** Analyze, divide recommendations according to responsible Town authority: Selectmen, Planning, Health, Con Com, MRC,

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William J. Brennan – Age: 62. **Education:** Boston University Graduate. **Occupation:** Retired. **Experience & Qualifications:** Thirty–five years of federal management and regulatory experience – ten in housing and urban development. Member, Sippican School Council, three years.. **Response:** By aggressive, fair and creative enforcement of the rewritten Marion by-laws; by seeking out development that furthers the

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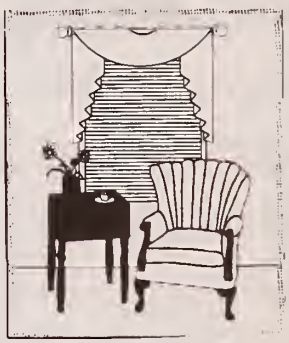

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intent of the Growth Management report; and by open and comprehensive cooperation between the Planning Board, the Selectmen and the other boards and commissions of the town.

Carolyn Rubenstein – Age: 48. **Education:** BA Ohio Wesleyan University, MSLS Simmons College. **Occupation:** Librarian. **Experience & Qualifications:** I worked with the Growth Management Committee and helped the Planning Board amend Subdivision Rules and Regulations. **Response:** Recommendations can be realized if both citizens and town boards are part of the planning process. Each board can then commit that recommendations under its jurisdiction will be implemented. Completion dates can be promised. Press releases can detail progress. Long, hard, persistent work begins.

Planning Board – 1 year (Elect One)

Anne Croke Shoemaker – Age: No response. **Education:** Master's in City and Regional Planning (MCRP), Rutgers University. **Occupation:** No response. **Experience & Qualifications:** No response. **Response:** Master Plans must contain recommendations that reflect short and long range goals that are agreed upon by the community and are achievable. Goals can then be realized by defining specific tasks and assigning responsibility for implementation to appropriate Boards, departments, etc. The community's responsibility is ensuring these groups implement!

School Committee – 3 years (Elect two)

The candidates for School Committee were asked:

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"What would be the School Committee's most appropriate response to the increasing school population?"

Albert M. Cordeiro – Age: 39. **Education:** 1975 Grad. New Bedford High, 1979 B.S. Accounting Bryant College. **Occupation:** Accountant – Self Employed. **Experience & Qualifications:** Accounting, Management Skills, Experience in Preparing and Analysis of Budgets. **Response:** We should take an offensive not a defensive approach by appointing a task force consisting of parents, school committee members and administration to study and assess the system's needs for the future; as well as analyze the current facilities, and make recommendations for our growing community.

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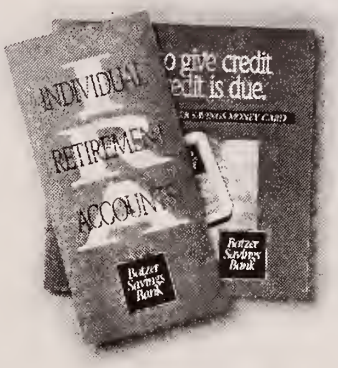

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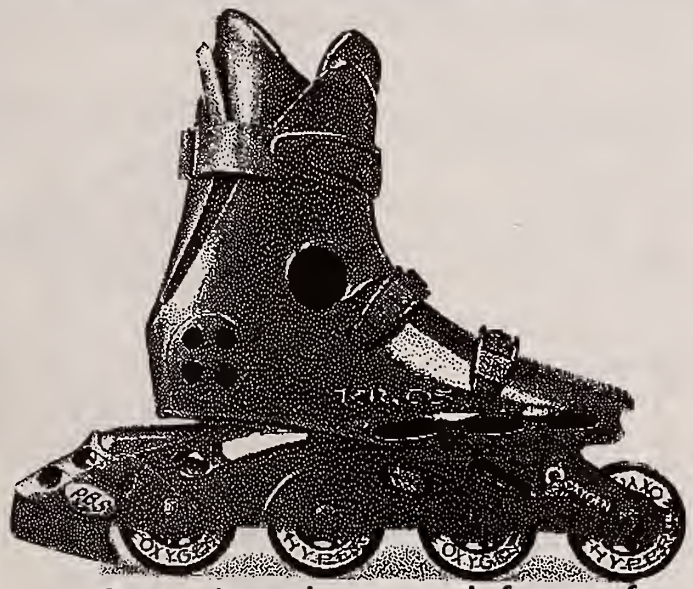

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Susan Stover Grosart – Age: 49. **Education:** A.B. Dickinson College. **Occupation:** Medical Office Manager. **Experience & Qualifications:** 3 years Marion School Committee, 6 years VASE (Volunteers at Sippican Elementary) Board **Response:** The School Committee's role is to provide the best education possible, within budget constraints, to all eligible children. We must plan for future growth to provide the necessary facilities at Sippican School so that we may continue to deliver the education our children will need in the 21st Century.

Karen Kevelson – Age: 40. **Education:** B.A. Dickinson College, MBA Wharton. **Occupation:** Part–time consultant. **Experience & Qualifications:** I'm a parent/taxpayer and active in VASE and a volunteer in classroom at Sippican. **Response:** The School Committee should present three alternatives to the town: 1) Maintain current quality standards by spending more money, 2) Lower school standards to avoid tax increases, 3) Try to find more efficient uses of funds to maintain current standards with a more restricted budget.

Old Rochester Regional District School Committee – 3 years (Elect One)

The candidate for ORR School Committee was asked: *"What would be the ORR School Committee's most appropriate response to the increasing school population?"*

Jean M. DaSilva – Age: 47. **Education:** 1967 Graduate of NBHS. Attended SMU. **Occupation:** Primary Classroom Aide Sippican School. **Experience & Qualifications:** Was appointed in November 1993, Elected

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April 1994. **Response:** I feel that we would need to keep to our goals and continue to provide the best education possible for our students. Our first responsibility is to our schools and our communities. As our towns continue to grow we will continue to work at keeping to our goals and priorities.

Rochester Selectmen's Meeting

April 16, 1996

By Justin Hahn

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, April 16 at 7:00 pm. Present were Selectman Lorraine Roy

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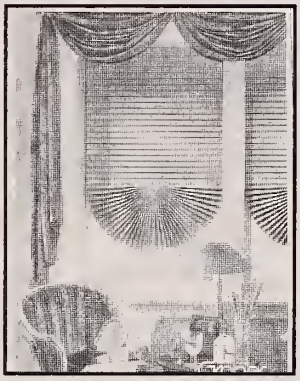

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The board began the meeting by approving the minutes of their April 7 meeting. Selectmen then unanimously approved a motion to make Selectman Hawkes the new chairman. Selectmen also unanimously approved a motion to delegate all the duties of former Selectman Michael Murphy to newly-elected Selectman Cutler. These duties include: water commissioner, representative to the Plymouth County Advisory Committee, and chairman of the Building Needs Committee.

Selectmen then opened a hearing with Great Bear Farms regarding their Earth Removal Permit. The representative for Great Bear Farms stated they had completed excavation of one set of lots and wished to move the remainder of the permit to the other lots. The board read a letter from an abutter, namely the Plymouth County Wildlands Trust, who expressed concerns over the environmental impact.

Great Bear Farms stated that there would be no significant environmental impact in the areas the Plymouth County Wildlands Trust mentioned. Selectmen then moved to grant them a permit, but not to allow any further excavation until the permit was written up and submitted. Selectmen approved

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the motion unanimously, as well as a motion which requested that a letter be sent to the Plymouth County Wildlands Trust, explaining the decision to grant the permit.

The board then met with Finance Committee (FinCom) Chairman Patricia Ryan regarding the matter of job classifications, and bids from firms to have a list of job qualifications for all town positions written up. Selectmen unanimously approved a motion to review the proposals.

The board then read over the incoming correspondence for the week, including:

• Letter from Massachusetts Action regarding Lottery and School Aid, requesting a response.

• Memo from the Southeast Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD) regarding the Massachusetts Bay Transit Authority (MBTA) running a commuter rail to

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• Letter from the Decas Cranberry Company regarding property which they are putting up for sale for residential use. Their letter states that the town has the option to purchase the land, and that they have 120 days to notify the Decas Cranberry Company of their intention. Decas stated they would appreciate an expedient response. The board unanimously approved a motion to ask Decas to supply them with plans illustrating the lots they are selling.

• Memo from Kelly Hartley stating that she would like to handle her Cash Receipts herself, instead of having to hand them over to another town official. Selectmen unanimously moved to grant her request.

• Letter from the Executive Office of Communities and Development (EOCD) regarding the commencement of their application period for affordable housing.

• Letter from SRPEDD regarding area Housing Needs. Selectmen unanimously passed a motion to have Chairman Hawkes fill out the attached questionnaire.

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• Letter from the Town of Wareham commending Fire Chief Scott Ashworth for his response to Wareham's request for assistance during a recent plane and car collision.

• Letter from the Town of Wareham commending Police Chief Walter Denham for his response to the town's request for assistance during the aforementioned plane-car crash.

• Article for the Town Meeting warrant to allow the board to appoint a new Executive Secretary. Selectmen said they would wait until next week to decide on this matter.

• Letter from Police Chief Walter Denham submitting three articles for the Town Meeting warrant. The first article is to purchase a new police cruiser, the second to purchase a new four-wheel-drive, and the third to purchase a video camera to be used in a police vehicle. The board unanimously agreed to place all three on the warrant.

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Selectmen next met with Mr. Subon regarding the exceeding of his Earth Removal Permit. Mr. Subon confirmed that they had exceeded the permit in terms of cubic yards removed. Selectmen then moved to have a new permit drawn up, and to have all excavation ceased until the new permit was issued in about three weeks.

Chairman Hawkes read a notice from Alewives Anonymous regarding a Chowder Supper to be held on April 28 at the Acushnet Grange Hall; a notice from ComGas regarding a Public Hearing on April 24; and a notice from SRPEDD regarding a meeting on April 27 at 7:30 pm.

The Selectmen unanimously agreed to sign a petition to the State Legislature to ratify the recent town election and election results. Selectmen agreed unanimously to sign bills from West Publishing, AT&T and Superior Office.

Under Old Business, the board discussed the matter of Fire Chief Scott Ashworth re-appointing his wife, Wendy Reed, to the Fire Department when her current term ends. Selectmen unanimously agreed to allow him to reappoint her. The board also

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moved to place Chief Ashworth's article to reword the Ambulance Fund's purpose to allow it to be used to purchase ambulance equipment.

Under New Business, the board unanimously agreed to meet in the larger Town Hall Conference Room from now on, and as of April 30, they would not schedule any other meetings in that room on days when the Selectmen are scheduled to meet. The residents in attendance offered their approval.

With no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously agreed to adjourn for the evening at 8:45 pm.

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The following log excerpts are for the dates of April 7-13, 1996.

- County Road-suspicious motor vehicle
- Fairhaven Road-arrest, adult
- North Street-suspicious persons
- County Road-suspicious activity, motor vehicle
- Linhares Avenue-suspicious persons
- Edgewood Drive-medical ambulance request
- County Road-child abuse, neglect
- Tobey Lane-domestic abuse
- Wold Island Road-trash dumping
- North Street-suspicious persons
- Baptist Street-serve 209A
- Fairhaven Road-vandalism

Rochester Police Log

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- Walnut Plain Road-vandalism
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- Snipatuit Road-motor vehicle complaint
- Marion Road-pole fire
- Mary's Pond Road-ambulance assistance
- Braley Hill Road-vandalism
- Gerrish Road-suspicious activity
- Cushman Road-motor vehicle complaint
- Tilson Road-possible domestic
- Snipatuit Road-suspicious activity
- Bennett Road-lost girl

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- Hartley Road-suspicious activity
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- Mill Street-suspicious motor vehicle
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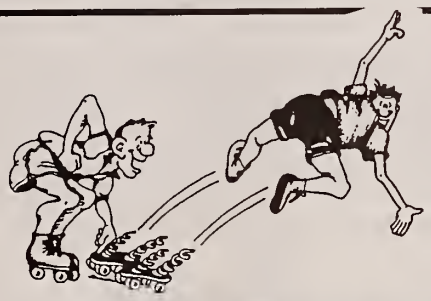

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By Kenneth J. Souza

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Due to this year's extraordinary line-up of skaters, large crowds are expected at all performances of "Americana On Ice." Tickets are $7.50 for adults and $6.50 for children and senior citizens. Advanced ticket sales are discounted and can be purchased at the door or by calling 997-1912.

Old Colony Voke

• The **Old Colony Voke Cougars** are up and running at full force this season, with both the Boys Baseball and Lady Cougars Softball schedule in place. Following is a list of their remaining games for Spring 1996.

Boys Baseball: Friday, April 19 - 10:00 game at West Bridgewater; Monday, April 22 - 3:15 game at Sacred Heart; Wednesday, April 24 - 3:15 home game against New Testament; Monday, April 29 - 3:15 game at Bristol-Plymouth; Wednesday, May 1 - 3:15 game at Cape Tech; Friday, May 3 - 3:15 home game against South Shore; Monday, May 6 - 3:15 home game against Avon; Wednesday, May 8 - 3:15 game at Upper Cape Regional; Thursday, May 9 - 3:15 home game against Sacred Heart; Monday, May 13 - 3:15 game at New Testament; Wednesday, May

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Lady Cougar Softball: Friday, April 19 - 10:00 home game against West Bridgewater; Wednesday, April 24 - 3:15 home game against Blue Hills; Monday, April 29 - 3:15 game at Diman; Wednesday, May 1 - 3:15 home game against Norfolk; Friday, May 3 - 3:15 game at Upper Cape Regional; Monday, May 6 - 3:15 home game against Tri-County; Wednesday, May 8 - 3:15 game at Bristol-Plymouth; Monday, May 13 - 3:15 game at Cape Tech; Wednesday, May 15 - 3:15 home game against Diman; Friday, May 17 - 3:15 game at Norfolk; Monday, May 20 - 3:15 home game against Upper Cape Regional; Wednesday, May 22 - 3:15 game at Tri-County; Friday, May 24 - 3:15 home game against Bristol-Plymouth.

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Letters to the Editor

To The Editor:

For more than 50 years, as a professional counselor, I have been an advocate for children, many of whom lived in risk of their health and well being because of their parents' serious problems. It was my responsibility to help the parents to achieve a dialogue with each other and with me so that they could understand their problems and find ways to solve their differences and become able to help their children. Open dialogue has been the key. Many people are helped in this way. There are some who are not helped, their problems are not solved and their children remain at risk, sometimes to the extent that the legal authorities must intervene.

In Marion, in the year 1995-1996, the children are at risk and Board of Selectmen have been unwilling, for 10 months, to enter into any dialogue to consider an appropriate fence at the Sprague's Cove Project where the lagoons are now eight feet deep from the winter snow and rain.

The Selectmen's decision that the present fence is sufficient is basically negligent. The split rail fence provides a ladder, the turkey wire easily bent as footprints in the snow demonstrate easy access. Open on both ends, the area can be easily entered. At the south end there were so many footprints that they made one wide path in the deep snow (complete with a bicycle tire print from the parking lot to Shellheap Road). There are three sides which lack any protection at all.

In my initial meeting with Selectmen,

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Chairman Winters stated that there was no fence provided in the original plan. When I looked at the plan I saw clearly that the area was enclosed by 1800 feet of fencing. Chairman Winters, in one of the two communications I had in 10 months, said that he found the legend, and a note of Marion's responsibility for a fence to prohibit access, but he (could) not find the fence on the drawing.

For 10 months the Selectmen have been unwilling to communicate with me in any way, except for two letters I mentioned, which stated their policy-no more fence, no town of Marion responsibility, for any death or injury. I decided reluctantly and with much sadness to explore the open meeting law administered by the Plymouth County District Attorney who may if indicated refer the matter to Superior Court.

The Open Meeting Law deals only with the issues of posting meetings, the actual meetings where the decisions were made, accurate records, the strict limits for calling executive meetings. The law states clearly that government officials are acting in violation of the law if meetings are held in private, issues discussed, and decisions made even if these decisions are announced in public. The records, which are available to the public, must contain all the details of public meetings, as well as of executive meetings. The prohibitions of private meetings includes those with attorneys.

It is on the basis of the private meetings that they have been held by the Board of Selectmen, and that there are no minutes to explain their decisions,

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Olive E. Harris
Concerned Marion Resident

To The Editor:

When the ORR Track Foundation was organized two years ago in March 1994, we had two objectives: to raise money for a new track for the Old Rochester Regional School District, and to increase public awareness about the current track's condition. We have met those objectives, raising $48,000 and

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The ORR track is a community resource accessible to all townspeople as well as the ORR Junior High School and ORR High School Students for physical education classes, all high school athletes for competitions, and Mattapoisett Track Club participants. We ask all tri-town residents for

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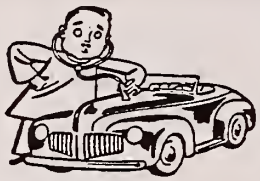

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There will be a trip to the Christmas Tree Shop Monday, May 2nd. Please call 758-4110 to reserve your space.

Mattapoisett Cub Scouts

On Thursday, April 11, 1996, more than 50 Mattapoisett boys from Cub Scout Pack 53 had the opportunity to test their automotive racing skills at the annual Cub Scout Pinewood Derby held at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. These boys, with parental assistance, took a plain block of pine and turned it into a sleek, fast race car. The boys' designs ran the gamut from the classical look to very futuristic (Detroit, watch out!). The only requirement was that the cars had to weigh less than 5 ounces. The boys were divided and raced according to their Cub Scout rank: Wolf Cub Scouts (second graders), Bear Cub Scouts (third graders), and Webelos Scouts (fourth graders). Some races were very close, and all

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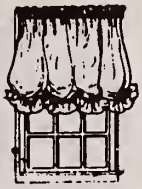

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were exciting. The final race results are listed below, and the first, second, and third place winners in each scout ranking will be receiving their prizes at a later Cub Scout Pack meeting. In addition, these nine boys represented Mattapoisett Pack 53 at the Cachalot District Pinewood Derby on Saturday, April 13, 1996 at the North Dartmouth Mall. Congratulations to all the boys and their parents who participated, and we hope to have just as much fun an event next year. Special thanks goes out to all the parents who helped to make this event go smoothly. Wolf Cub Scouts winners are Bobby Britto (first place), Charles Gaudet (second place), and

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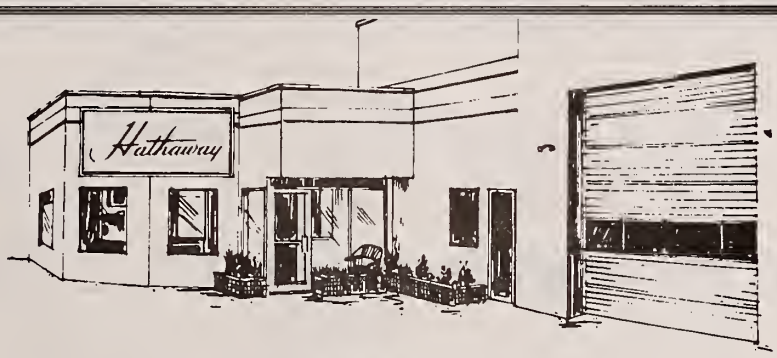

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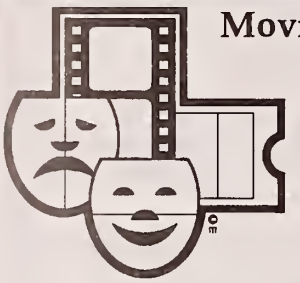

Movies & Entertainment

Movie Review

A nostalgic but highly unoriginal *Sgt. Bilko*

By Rob Gonsalves

• *Sgt. Bilko.* **Starring Steve Martin, Dan Aykroyd, and Phil Hartman. Directed by Jonathan Lynn. Running time: 92 minutes. MPAA rating: PG. At General Cinema in North Dartmouth (999-3141).**

Generation X is growing up, and we're prematurely nostalgic for the Carter-Reagan era. Our taste in retro music shows it (look at the *Schoolhouse Rock* album), and our tastes in movies are catching up. The recent *Executive Decision* took care of our yearning for militaristic pulp, now *Sgt. Bilko* is here to cash in on our nostalgia for *The Jerk* and *Stripes*.

I have a small but nagging affection for *Sgt. Bilko.* It's the sort of unambitious comedy I might have enjoyed in junior high school, on cable TV. Yet it doesn't have two original ideas to rub together, and most of it is ramshackle and lame. As usual, director Jonathan Lynn *(My Cousin Vinny)* just points the camera at his cast, hoping they'll do something funny.

Steve Martin, stepping into the big shoes of Phil Silvers (who originated the role on TV in the '50's), plays Sgt. Bilko as a cross between his Jerk and Dirty Rotten Scoundrel. It's a welcome break from Martin's recent heartfelt sincerity. He has at least one vintage scene, dining in an elegant restaurant with a soldier in drag (don't ask). In general, Martin seems invigorated, re-animated; he snaps to attention.

If only I could say the same of the movie. The plot is essentially a string of scams and cons leading up to a climax involving a hovering tank. (Large hover crafts seem to be a trend lately — see *Rumble in the Bronx.)* For romance, Lynn and writer Andy Berckman throw in Bilko's long-suffering fiancee (Glenn Headly, doing her best in a thankless role), who's driven to distraction by the guy's inability to commit.

The rest of the cast — ranging from fresh talents Pamela Segall and Darryl Mitchell to old hands Dan Aykroyd and Phil Hartman — are all Bilko's straight men or foils. One actor, Austin Pendleton (who was the stuttering lawyer in *My Cousin Vinny),* starts to make an impression as an idiosyncratic tank technician, but he gets lost in the shuffle.

What's comforting about *Sgt. Bilko* is also what's annoying: We've seen it before, almost frame for frame, in every other service comedy, especially *Stripes.* That movie at least pitted its wise guys (Bill Murray and Harold Ramis) against one of the screen's leading tough guys, Warren Oates. Here, the tough guy is Phil Hartman, who just does "The Anal-Retentive Major." The role needs a true hardcase — say, Harvey Keitel.

Something else haunts me. It seems impossible, but this is actually the first movie pairing of Martin and Aykroyd — the wild and crazy Festrunk brothers! What should be historic ends up flat. Aykroyd could play a clueless authoritarian in his sleep, and that's what he does here.

Probably all *Sgt. Bilko* has going for it, aside from Martin's dexterous touch, is that it brings you back to 1981. This is a movie to put on the shelf next to *Caddyshack* and *Meatballs* — comedies that Gen-Xers think fondly of, but really aren't all that hilarious (watch them again now, years after junior high). The scary thing is that, fifteen years from now, the twentysomethings of 2011 may look back fondly on *Sgt. Bilko.*

MOVIE LISTINGS

• CINEMA 140
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Friday (4/12) ONLY
The Birdcage (R) - 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
All Dogs Go To Heaven 2 (G) - 5:00
Diabolique (R) - 7:15
Leaving Las Vegas (R) - 9:30
A Family Thing (PG-13) - 5:00, 9:30
Richard III (R) - 7:30
Flirting With Disaster (R) *No Passes* - 5:00, 7:15, 9:15
A Thin Line Between Love and Hate (R) - 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
Executive Decision (R) - 5:00
Braveheart (R) - 7:45

Saturday (4/13) through Thursday (4/18)
Bargain Matinees during School Vacation Week.
The Birdcage (R) - 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
All Dogs Go To Heaven 2 (G) - 12:00, 2:00, 5:00
Diabolique (R) - 7:15
Leaving Las Vegas (R) - 9:30
A Family Thing (PG-13) - 12:00, 5:00, 9:30
Richard III (R) - 2:30, 7:30
Flirting With Disaster (R) *No Passes* - 12:00, 2:15, 5:00, 7:15, 9:15
A Thin Line Between Love and Hate (R) - 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
Executive Decision (R) - 12:00, 2:30, 5:00
Braveheart (R) - 7:45

• GENERAL CINEMA
Route 6 and Faunce Corner Road, North Dartmouth, MA.
Movie Line: 999-3141 / Office: 999-3142.

Friday (4/12) through Thursday (4/18)
James and the Giant Peach (PG) - 1:00, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:00
Fear (R) - 1:10, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:30
Sgt. Bilko (PG) - 1:10, 3:20, 5:20, 7:30, 9:30
Oliver & Company (G) - 1:00, 2:50, 4:50, 7:10, 8:50
Up Close and Personal (PG-13) - 6:50, 9:20
Happy Gilmore (PG-13) - 1:40, 4:20
Dead Man Walking (R) - 1:30, 4:10, 7:00, 9:30
Broken Arrow (R) - 6:50, 9:10
Homeward Bound 2 (G) - 1:20, 3:10, 5:00
Primal Fear (R) - 1:20, 4:00, 6:40, 9:10

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Flea Market

A Flea Market will be held at the Fellowship Hall of the First Congregational Church, Gibbs Avenue, Wareham on Saturday, April 27th from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm.

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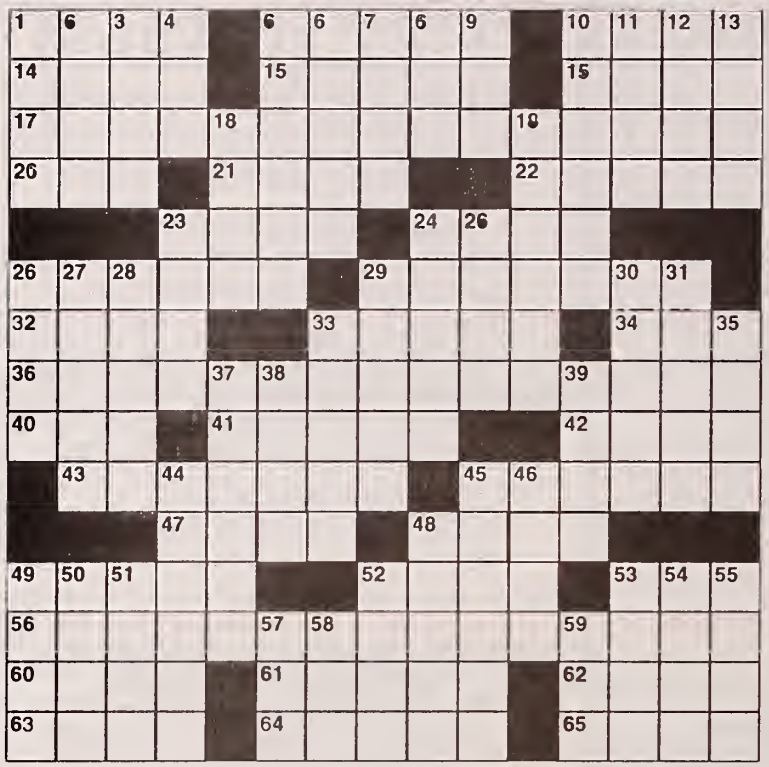

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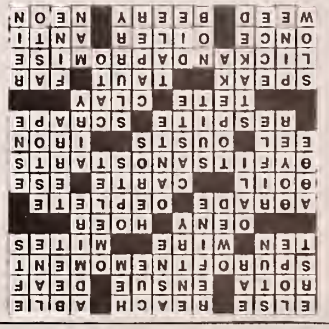

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This Week's Horoscope

by Linda Black

Aries (March 21-April 19). The Sun's going out of your sign with a flourish this year. Do everything you've been contemplating. Balance your checkbook so you can go shopping.

Taurus (April 20-May 20). You're under lots of pressure. It seems like everything's coming due at the same time. Things start changing for the better soon, though.

Gemini (May 21-June 21). What with club meetings, parties and sports activities, you may be tempted to shine on your regular job.

Cancer (June 22-July 22). Don't get all woggly if somebody yells at you. Tempers will be short and emotions intense. Either participate or stay out of the way.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22). Get out for a run. A tough supervisor will be even more insufferable, so don't bother to argue. Party with friends as much as possible.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You could make a pretty good deal. Check the job board and stop in for a chat with the people who know about those things.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You're in for a wild ride. Expect all your buttons to get pushed, by a person you find fascinating and repulsive simultaneously.

Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Your workload increases. You'll need every bit of energy you can muster to finish a tough assignment.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). If you're not in love now, you will be soon. Cupid has you in his sights. A situation you don't want to deal with pushes you to make a change.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You may choose to stay home. If you're not actually sick, consider it preventive medicine. Something there needs your attention, anyway.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You are brilliant. You're generating enough current to read by.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20). Call a friend for inspiration. You'll need it. If you win the lottery, promise you won't spend it all.

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TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT- PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 7, 1996 at 8:00 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Town Hall on proposed Zoning By-Law changes as follows:

1. **WATERFRONT RESIDENCE:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by changing Subsection D., appearing in **Section V Use Regulations**, the words **"Waterfront 30 (W 30), Permitted Uses"** to **"Waterfront 60 (W 60) Permitted Uses"**, or take any other action relating thereto.

2. **VILLAGE RESIDENCES:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by changing Subsection E., appearing in **Section V Use Regulations, Village Residence (VR 10), Permitted Uses:** paragraph 1 by changing the words "Waterfront 30 (W 30)" to "Waterfront 60 (W 60)", or take any other action relating thereto.

3. **MARINE RESIDENCE:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by changing Subsection F., appearing in **Section V Use Regulations, Marine Residence (MR), Permitted Uses:** paragraph 1 by changing the words "Waterfront 30 (W 30)" to "Waterfront 60 (W 60)", or take any other action relating thereto.

4. **RURAL RESIDENCE 30 & 40 to RR 60 & RR 80:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by changing Subsection G., appearing in **Section V**, the words **"Rural Residence 30 and 40 (RR 30& RR 40), Permitted Uses"** to **" Rural Residence 60 and 80 (RR 60 & RR 80), Permitted Uses"** or take any other action relating hereto.

5. **ESTABLISHMENT OF DISTRICTS:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by deleting Subsection A. Types, appearing in **Section IV Establishment of Districts**, in its entirety and substituting therefore the following:

"For the Purposes of this By-Law, the Town of Mattapoisett is hereby divided into ten (10) classes of districts and two (2) overlay district:

Residence 40 (R40)	Waterfront 60 (W 60)
Rural Residence 80 (RR 80)	Residence 20 (R 20)
Residence 30 (R 30)	Village Residence (VR 10)
Rural Residence 60 (RR 60)	General Business (GB)
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Mattapoisett River Aquifer Project District (MRAPD) Overlay District Flood Plain Overlay District" or take any other action relative thereto.

6. **DENSITY REGULATIONS:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by changing Subsection E., appearing in **Section VI Density Regulations** by replacing the schedule and subsequent paragraph as follows:

District	Lot Sq. Ft.	Frontage Feet	Set-Back Street*	Set-Back Rear	Set-Back Side
R 40	40,000	150	50	40	30
RR80	80,000	200	50	40	30
R 30	30,000	150	50	40	30
RR 60	60,000	200	50	40	30
W 60	60,000	175	35	30	20
MR 60	60,000	175	35	30	20
R 20	20,000	125	35	30	20
VR 10	10,000	100	25	30	10
GB		150	65	30	20
LI		200	75	50	50

Except that (1) any dwelling existing on April 3, 1973 may be, extended or reconstructed, or accessories built, and said dwelling or accessories shall continue to be governing by the density regulations applicable to the said dwelling on April 3, 1973 and (2) any dwelling on May 28, 1996 may be, extended or reconstructed or accessories built and said dwelling or accessories shall continue to be governed by the density regulations applicable to the said dwelling on May 28, 1996, in both cases, (1) and (2), without increasing the number of dwelling units contained therein.", or take any other action relating thereto.

7. **ZONING NONCONFORMING STRUCTURES, LOTS & USES:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by adding to Subsection 2.b, appearing in **Section III**, the following words after "... does not increase the nonconforming nature of it...": ", and except as provided in Section VI-E of this Zoning By-Law", or take any other action relating thereto.

8. **ZONING MAP AMENDMENTS:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning Map of the town entitled "Zoning Map of Mattapoisett, Massachusetts, dated November 1, 1967" as revised, as referred to in the first paragraph of Section IV.B of the Zoning By-Laws, by changing the following:

a. all references to RR 40 shall be changed to RR 80
b. all references to RR 30 shall be changed to RR 60
c. all references to W 30 shall be changed to W 60, or take any other action relating thereto.

9. **DEFINITION OF LOT:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by replacing Subsection E. Lot, appearing in **Section II - Definitions**, with the following:

"E. Lot. A single parcel of land, including swamp or water, having one owner or beneficial owner, or a group of owners, or beneficial owners holding said parcel jointly or in common, defined by boundary lines on a legally recorded plan, deed or will and any contiguous such parcels of land having one owner, or a group of owners, holding said parcel jointly or in common or being beneficial owner or owners thereof, unless said contiguous parcels are required or permitted to be treated as separate parcels by any applicable provision of the General Laws. Land under any water body, bog, coastal wetland, fresh water wetland, swamp, wet meadow or marsh, as defined in M.G.L. C. 131. § 40, shall not be included in the "lot area" required for zoning compliance", or take any other action relative thereto.

10. **DEFINITION OF LOT:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by replacing Subsection E. Lot, appearing in **Section II - Definitions**, with the following:

"E. Lot. A single parcel of land, including swamp or water, having one owner or beneficial owner, or a group of owners,or beneficial owners holding said parcel jointly or in common, defined by boundary lines on a legally recorded plan, deed or will and any contiguous such parcels of land having one owner, or a group of owners, holding said parcel jointly or in common or being beneficial owner or owners thereof, unless said contiguous parcels are required or permitted to be treated as separate parcels by any applicable provision of the General Laws. In all zoning districts, not less than eighty percent (80%) of the minimum required lot area shall be contiguous upland for the zoning district in which it is located. Upland is defined as any land not under any water body, bog, coastal wetland, fresh water wetland, swamp, wet meadow or marsh, as defined in M.G.L. C. 131. § 40.", or take any other action

11. **DEFINITION OF FRONTAGE:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by adding a new Subsection D. Frontage, appearing in **Section II - Definitions**, by adding the following definition for "Frontage":

D. "Frontage. Frontage is the width of a lot measured, at the option of the owner, either on the street right-of-way line or on the minimum set-back line along one street provided that said lot is at least seventy (70) feet wide and deep elsewhere. On a corner lot, the frontage requirements shall be measured to the mid-point of the curve joining the intersecting streets. Access shall only be through or across this legal frontage.", or take any other action relative thereto.

12. **CORRECTION TO DEFINITION LETTERING:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by relettering in **Section II -Definitions**, letters D. through M. to letters E. through N. or take any other action relative thereto.

13. **REMOVAL OF FRONTAGE DEFINITION:** To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the town by deleting in its entirety Subsection D., appearing in **Section VI Density Regulation**, or take any other action relative thereto.

14. **ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT - REGULATION OF FLOOD HAZARD AREAS:** To see if the town will vote to amend Section VIII—Regulation of Flood Hazard Areas, of the Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "Effective Date July 15, 1992" in subsection B.1 and in the second unnumbered paragraph of subsection B.2. thereof and by substituting therefor the words "Effective Date September 30, 1995," or take any other action relating thereto.

15. **ZONING MAP AMENDMENTS:** To see if the town will amend the Zoning Map of the town entitled "Zoning Map of Mattapoisett, Massachusetts, dated November 1, 1967" as revised, as referred to in the first paragraph of Section IV.B of the Zoning By-Laws, by changing the following district boundary line:

"The easterly boundary of the R 30 Zoning District north of Route 6 and south of Route 1195 to a distance 400 feet from the centerline of North Street for the entire length of the District.", or take any other action relating thereto.

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Christopher Jaskolka, Clerk 04/19, 04/26

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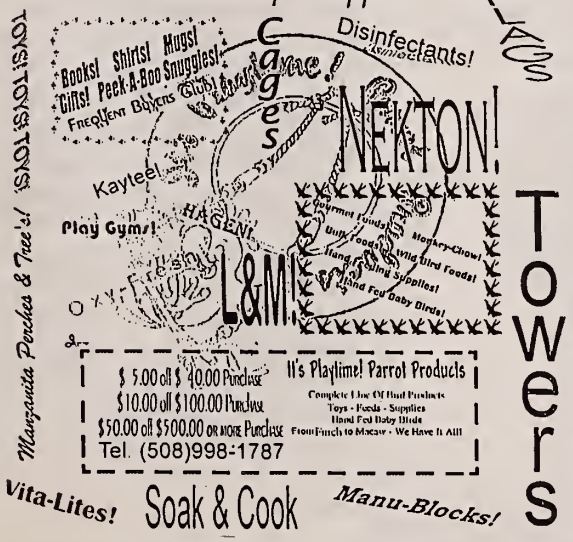

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Daniel Sullivan, 10 Hartley Road, who is seeking a variance from set back requirements for a swimming pool under Section B & C.2 of protective bylaws.

Public hearing will be conducted Thursday, April 25, 1996, at 7:30 pm in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.

Property is identified on Assessors maps as Plan 35 Lot 2.

Charles Wolf, Chairman 04/12, 04/19

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following petition and application:

Application of Robert W. Sorrenti of 11 Otsego Road, Worcester, MA 01609 re property located at 8 Island View Avenue. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Section VI.E and VI.B.2 of the Zoning By-Law to add a second floor to an existing dwelling that does not meet the front setback or the area. The property is further described as Lot 44, Plat 14A on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, April 25, 1996 at 7:00 P.M. #765.

Petition of South Shore Community Residences , Inc. by Lawrence Krajeski, Secretary, of 169 Summer Street, Kingston, MA 02364 re property located at 18 Randall Road. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section VI.E due to the fact that the bulkhead fails to meet the required sideline setback of 30 feet. The property is further described as Lot 64A, Plat 23 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, April 25, 1996 at 7:20 P.M. #766.

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.

Sincerely,
William D. Armitage, Chairperson
Jeffrey R. Chase
Nancy L. O'Brien
Robert Bertrand
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TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, April 23, 1996 at 7:30 pm in the Town Hall on the Request For A Determination of Applicability submitted by Rene Drouin, Wetlands Consulting Service, Inc., 308 Hawthorne Street, New Bedford, MA 02740.

The proposed project is to have the Conservation Commission verify the delineation of wetland resource areas.

The project is located at River Bend Lane and is further identified as Lots 71-90 & 93-95 on Assessors Map 24.

Daniel J. Bungert, Chairman 04/19

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The proposed project is to license an existing fixed wood pier and stone revetment (no work is proposed).

The project is located at 63 Marshmeir and is further identified as Lots 12 on Assessors Map 12.

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BRIDGE RESULTS

Mattapoisett Bridge Club
Friday, April 5 Winners Were:
First: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rothman, Second: Bridget Finch and James Harris, Third: Mary Lovell and LauraMcLeod, Fourth: Barbara Gordon and Col. E. J. Tomasik, Fifth: Jean Bullard and Rheta Tuttle.
Winners in the Evening Session:
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Dartmouth Bridge Club
Monday, April 8 Winners Were:
North-South First: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rothman, Second: Helen Linehan and Eleanor Lamarre, Third: Charlotte Figueiredo and Ruth Cunningham. **East-West:** First: Paul Matheson and John Fazzina, Second: Helen Demello and Barbara Gordon, Third: Betty Fitton and Charles Reed. **Thursday, April 11 Winners Were: North-South** First: Cathy Speer and Ilse Rothman, Second: Mae Lipp and Col. E.J. Tomasik, Third: Leona Rosenberg and Bea Wollison, Fourth: Pam Mendoza and Ruth Cunningham. **East-West** First: Barbara Gordon and Clifton Jackson, Second: Mariam Lammey and Tobie Lechan, Third: Helen Linehan and Dorothy Friar, Fourth: Nanette Sylvia and Helenka Currens.

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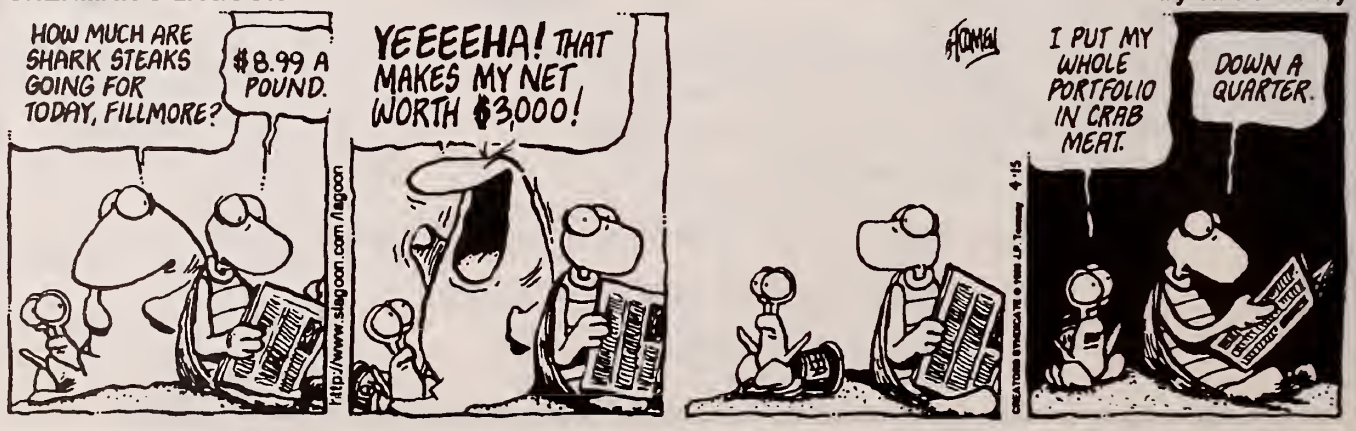

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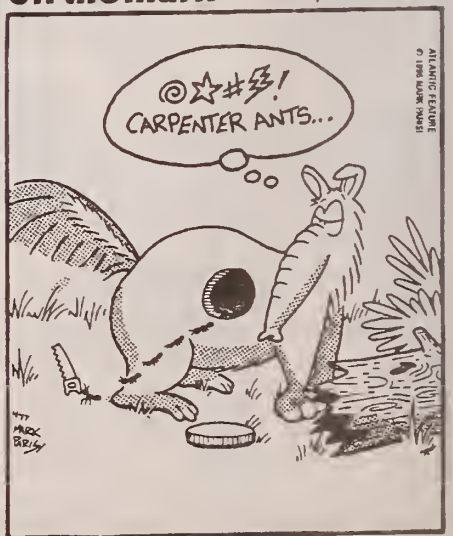

Regional Lunch Menus for April 22-26

Coastline Elderly Services

•*Monday, April 22*-BBQ chicken leg, mashed potatoes, ranch fiesta blend, oatmeal bread, pudding with topping.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-beef chow mein, rice, snap pea, oriental vegetables, sourdough bread, strawberries.
•*Wednesday, April 24*-Swedish meatballs, egg noodles, beautiful blend vegetables, corn bread, peach slices.
•*Thursday, April 25*-turkey pot pie, mashed potatoes, white bread, juice, fresh fruit.
•*Friday, April 26*-Manhatten clam chowder, fish and cheese on hamburg roll, baked potato with broccoli, pineapple square.

Center School

•*Monday, April 22*-chicken nuggets, oven fries, carrots, applesauce, dessert and milk.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-hamburger or cheeseburger, potato puffs, corn, pickles, dessert and milk.
•*Wednesday, April 24*-meatball sub, or tuna roll, macaroni salad, soup, veggie sticks, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Thursday, April 25*-beef taco, lettuce, tomato, cheese, nachos, or toasted cheese, veggie sticks, fruit, dessert, and milk.
•*Friday, April 26*-cheese pizza, or tuna roll, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.

Rochester Memorial School

•*Monday, April 22*-French toast sticks, juice, sausages, apple slices, or tuna pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-meatball sub, puffs, veggie sticks, or ham and cheese pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Wednesday, April 24*-American chop suey, garlic bread or chicken fajita pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Thursday, April 25*-grilled cheese or turkey pocket, salad, soup, fruit, dessert, and milk.
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•*Monday, April 22*-French toast sticks, juice, sausages, apple slices, or tuna pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-meatball sub, puffs, veggie sticks, or ham and cheese pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
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•*Thursday, April 25*-grilled cheese or turkey pocket, salad, soup, fruit, dessert, and milk.
•*Friday, April 26*-pizza or tuna salad pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.

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•*Monday, April 22*-French toast sticks, juice, sausages, apple slices, or tuna pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-meatball sub, puffs, veggie sticks, or ham and cheese pocket, salad, fruit, dessert and milk.
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•*Thursday, April 25*-grilled cheese or turkey pocket, salad, soup, fruit, dessert, and milk.
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•*Monday, April 22*-linguica pattie, or chicken patties, corn, pickles, chips, dessert, juice or milk.
•*Tuesday, April 23*-spaghetti with meatsauce or steak'm, green beans, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.
•*Wednesday, April 24*-bacon cheeseburger or chicken fritters, chips, pickles, lettuce, and tomato, dessert, juice or milk.
•*Thursday, April 25*-chicken pie with gravy or ham and cheese croissants, mashed potato, peas, applesauce, dessert, juice or milk.
•*Friday, April 26*-beef taco or turkey sub, lettuce, tomato, nachos, cheese sauce, salsa, dessert, juice or milk.
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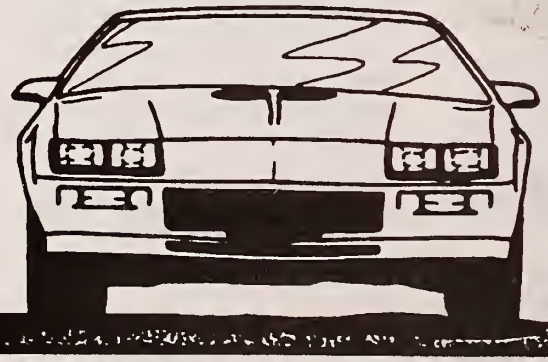

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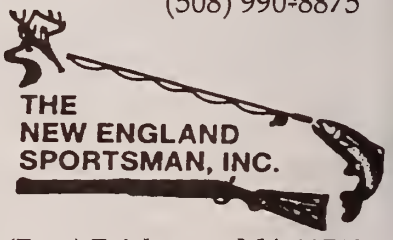

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April 21:	Sun.	10:06	10:26	3:25	3:21
April 22:	Mon.	10:53	11:13	3:59	3:59
April 23:	Tues.	11:43	. . .	4:36	4:40
April 24:	Wed.	12:03	12:37	5:17	5:28
April 25:	Thur.	12:58	1:33	6:05	6:28
April 26:	Fri.	1:55	2:30	7:01	7:29
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April 28:	Sun.	3:44	4:12	9.01	9:43

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